

Becket

OR THE HONOUR OF GOD

by
Jean Anouilh

Translated by
Lucienne Hill



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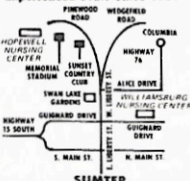
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Becket to Henry II
At La Ferte Bernard

THE PLAYERS

Stan Whittle	King Henry the Second
Bob Craft	Thomas Becket
Paul Moskowitz	A Page; Elder Prince; Young Sentry
Don Benedict	Archbishop of Canterbury, English Baron
Fred Carrico	Bishop of Oxford; Louis, King of France; English Baron
Mike Jones	Bishop of York; French Priest; Duke of Arundel
Jim Alford	Gilbert Folliot, Bishop of London; Provost Marshal
Jody Osborne	English Baron; French Baron
Larry Stoy	English Baron; Sentry
Ware Martin	Saxon Father; Soldier; French Baron; Officer
Marcy Heath	Saxon Girl; French Page
Chris Cleland	Saxon Boy; Little Monk
Sonja Sepulveda	Gwendolen
Cindy Taylor	French Girl; Young Queen
Mary Kunsman	Queen Mother
Jim Wade	Cardinal; Etienne; English Priest; Soldier
Walter Sharp	Pope; Servant; Monk
Chuck Speeckaert	Servant; Monk

**and Michael Finley as
French Choirboy; Younger Prince**

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

ACT I

Scene 1	Canterbury Cathedral	Scene 6	Becket's Palace
Scene 2	The King's Room	Scene 7	A Forest in France
Scene 3	The Council Chamber	Scene 8	A Street in France
Scene 4	A Forest	Scene 9	The Sacristy of a French Cathedral
Scene 5	A Saxon Hut	Scene 10	A Room in Becket's Palace

ACT II

Scene 1	A Room in the King's Palace	Scene 6	A Convent Cell
Scene 2	The Episcopal Palace	Scene 7	The Court of Louis
Scene 3	A Room in the King's Palace	Scene 8	The Plain of La Ferte Bernard
Scene 4	The Court of Louis, King of France	Scene 9	King Henry's Palace in France
Scene 5	The Pope's Palace in Rome	Scene 10	Caterbury Cathedral

*A 15 minute intermission will be observed at the end of Act I.
The use of cameras with flash equipment is prohibited during the performance.
Smoking is not permitted in the auditorium.*

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director	Tom Prewett
Producer, Sound	Caleen Watts
Stage Manager, Music	Crys Armbrust
Wardrobe Chairperson, Publicity	Fran Dodd
Directorial Assistant	George Finley
Set Design	Sam Fiorini
Lighting Design	Mike Sapp
Makeup	Mary Spinelli, head; Joe Ramsay, asst.
Historical Consultant	William T. Walker, III
Posters	Tom Kronberg
Costume Construction	Fran Dodd, chairperson; Lora Newcomer, complete wardrobe for Becket and Henry; Caleen Watts, Katie Damron, Mary Francis, Nancy Sapp, Gloria Fiorini, Sam Fiorini, Kay Pierson, Mary Lou Atkinson, Martha Finley, Anne Speeckaert, Miriam Gaddy, Marie Roth, Bert Whittle and Sumter High School Students
Set Construction	William Anderson, chairperson; Crys Armbrust, Don Benedict, Michael Finley, John Long, Tom Prewett, Walter Sharp, Larry Stoy, Ricky Turner, Jim Wade, Caleen Watts, Stan Whittle, Robert Flowers, Sam Fiorini, George Finley, Ivy Moore
Instrumentalists	Sumner Spradling, Dick Stuckey, Brett Bishop, Pete Ayres, Ricky Oakley

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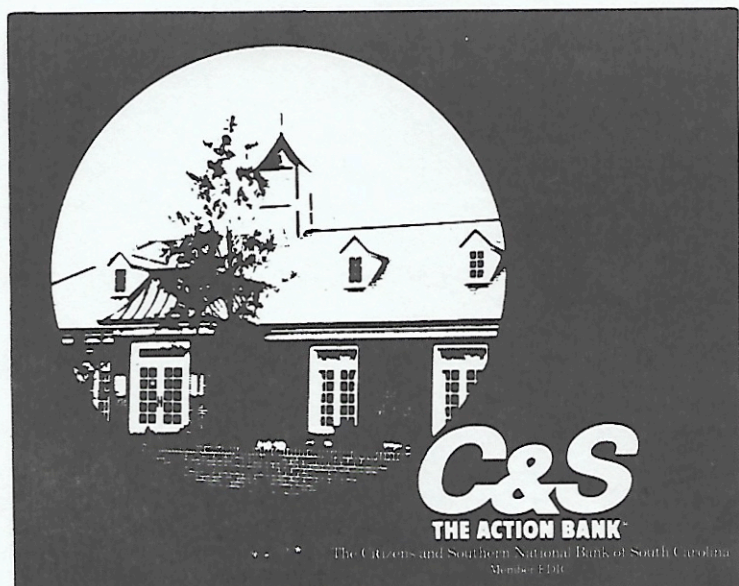
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